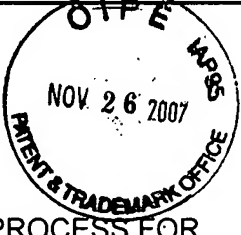


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**RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 21, 2007**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 21, 2007, please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are reflected in the listing of amendments beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.